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APPLICANT INITIATED INTERVIEW REQUEST FORM (PTOL-413A)

Application No.: 09/808,512

First Named Applicant: Williams

Examiner: Mital B. Patel

Art Unit: 3743

Status of Application: Final Rejection

Tentative Participants:

(1) Mital B. Patel(2) Stephanie M. MansfieldProposed Date of Interview: 11/25/03 Proposed Time: 1:00 p.m.

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic(2) ☐ Personal(3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED

Issues (Rei., Obj., etc.)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rei. Under</u> <u>35 U.S.C. § 103(a)</u>	<u>1, 12</u>	<u>Khorsandian</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>Rej. Under</u> <u>35 U.S.C. § 103(a)</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Hinkle</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Patentability of claims 1 and 12 over Khorsandian; proposed amendment to claim 13 (attached)
to place claim in condition for allowance over Hinkle.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE:

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01). This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Stephanie M. Mansfield
 (Applicants' Representative Signature)

 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

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